



**Sparks Masonic Center
Trestle-Board
For
Wadsworth Lodge # 25
January 2008**



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Coming Events

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| Dec. 31 | New Years Eve. |
| Jan. 4 | Wadsworth Lodge stated,
Open in the First Degree. |
| Jan. 8 | Building Trustees meeting. |
| Jan. 9 | Sparks Assembly meeting. |
| Jan. 15 | Wadsworth Lodge's Annual Share
Holder meeting.
7 pm at Wadsworth Lodge. |
| Jan. 18 | Degree practice at 7 pm. |
| Jan. 23 | Sparks Assembly meeting. |
| Jan. 24 | Master's Night Out. |
| Feb. 1 | Wadsworth Lodge stated,
Open in the First Degree. |
| Feb. 12 | Building Trustees meeting. |
| Feb. 13 | Sparks Assembly meeting. |
| Feb. 15 | Degree Practice and
Set up for Table Lodge. |
| Feb. 16 | Table Lodge for all Masons.
Doors open at 10 am.
Tickets are on sale for \$20 |
| Feb. 27 | Sparks Assembly meeting. |
| Feb. 29 | Martha Chapter OES, Game Night |

Important Message

Wadsworth Lodge will hold its annual Table Lodge on February 16, 2008. Table Lodge is open to all Masons, so come and enjoy good food and good fellowship.

Doors open at 11:00 am and tickets are \$20



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Stated Communication on the First Friday on the Month at 7:30 pm.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Let us all have a safe and happy holiday season. With this New Year comes hope for many chances to do our work and have a lot of fun.

I would like to thank all of you for attending and participating in my installation. I am looking forward to working with all of you during this upcoming year.

Table Lodge is coming up soon. I encourage all to attend, bringing fellow masons with you. I am sure that Howard Rigdon could use some help with getting door prizes. Table Lodge will be held on February 16, 2008 at noon.

This year I would like to have our lodge visit many other lodges in the area. It sure would be nice to earn another Silver State award again this year.

I would like to hold practices for our ritual work so that we can look good when other brethren from visiting lodges are present. Our January stated meeting will open on the first degree.

I wish all of you a happy and safe holiday.

See you in January

Dana Nollsch
Master of the Lodge



From the West

Greetings from the West. May I express my sincere gratitude to all of the brothers who have honored me with the position of Senior Warden. I pledge to live up to the expectations and high standards which have been established by those who have preceded me in service within this office. The installation went very smoothly and Worshipful Master Nollsch's leadership skills were evident and impressive. 2008 should be an outstanding year. A priority at this time is preparation for the Table Lodge which is our main revenue generating activity for the year. We need to have a good turnout and the menu is shaping up nicely. Please talk the Table Lodge up with all other Masons with whom you have contact and invite them to attend. The tickets should be ready by the January Stated Meeting. Unfortunately the Junior Warden will be in Hawaii during the Stated Meeting in January leaving "Road Kill" Smith and me, once again, in charge of the culinary responsibilities much to the consternation of many digestive systems. I haven't got a clue what will comprise the menu but it will be warm, edible and filling and alcohol in the form of beer and wine will be available to kill any residual negative "critters" which may present a challenge to the perceived temporary well being of the digestive tract. Bon Appetite!

Howard Rigdon
Senior Warden

From the South

I sit and reflect on a year almost gone by and have some fond memories. Thoughts of camping, fishing, degree work, good food, laughter and friendship enter my mind. With these things floating in my head, I look forward to a year filled with more of the same, but different.

As I look into my crystal ball, I see more practices to advance our newly made brothers along their path to light. I see Howard rappin' to the beat with his gavel and all the officers performing word perfect speaking parts. The floor work is stellar; sharp corners and feet marching in sync, left, right, left. I see us putting aside little differences so we can decide on who can best work and agree. I see our relationships strengthening in cooperation for the greater good. Please support the officers and we will not let you down.

I will miss the January stated meeting due to some tough commitments (Hawaii – hey someone has to do it) but not to worry as the meal will be taken care of by some trustworthy and capable masons. I look forward to growing our lodge and our building into something we can count on and to be proud of for generations to come. Come join the adventure and reap what we sow!

Wil Wearne
Junior Warden



SECRETARY'S MESSAGE:

Happy New Year and thanks to those who have paid their 2008 Annual Dues. There are still 25 members who have not yet paid their 2008 Annual Dues. Please help your Secretary by promptly paying, so he does not have to send a 2nd Notice!

Thank you, Charles F. Steiner, PM, Secretary



Birthdays

Frank C. Beaty
Buddy Jo Haney
Roger Lee Jacobs
Carson David Penner

Donald R. Burrus
Rodney I. Henderson
Jonathan G. Morrow
James H. Shirkey, Jr

Donald P. Goodrich
Jasonlee K. Henderson
Dana A. Nollsch WM
Mark E. Smith

Officers

Worshipful Master Dana A. Nollsch
(Mary)
Senior Warden Howard L. Rigdon
(Myung)
Junior Warden William J. Wearne, IV
(Taryn)
Treasurer James A. Grabsky
(Sally)
Secretary Charles F. Steiner PM

Chaplain John Bower PM
(Pat)
Senior Deacon Patrick W. Higgins
(Tiffani)
Junior Deacon Charles E. Bertrand

Senior Steward Nathaniel "Battery" Brown
(Erin)
Junior Steward

Marshal Mark E. Smith

Historian J. J. McDonald III, PM

Tyler J. Darren Spark PM
(Dianne)
Greeter Edward R. Nixon
(Marilyn)

Building Trustee Lodge Trustees

Dalton Larue PM John Buffington PM
Richard Meacham PM John Bower PM
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